Reaching New Heights in our Knowledge of God
The Knowledge of God and the Crossroads of Your Life

Definition of the Knowledge of God – there is nothing that has ever happened that God did not know would happen, there is nothing that is happening that God did not know would happen, and there is nothing that ever will happen that God does not know will happen.

I. You Should Praise and Follow the Lord Because He Knows Everything

A. Four facts of God’s knowledge of us

1. God knows all that you do

2. God knows every thought that you think

   John 2:23-25 - Now when He was in Jerusalem at the Passover, during the feast, many believed in His name, observing His signs which He was doing. But Jesus, on His part, was not entrusting Himself to them, for He knew all men, and because He did not need anyone to testify concerning man, for He Himself knew what was in man.

3. God knows every word that you say

4. God knows your future

B. Praise and amazement that God would know you in that way

   Psalm 8:3-4 - When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have ordained; what is man that You take thought of him, and the son of man that You care for him?

C. Wholehearted commitment to use God’s knowledge

II. You Should Trust the Lord Because There Is No One Like Him

A. God can explain the past and predict the future
1. God’s challenge to explain the future (41:21-24)

2. God explains that he can predict the future (42:8-9)

3. God explains the past things fulfilled (43:8-11)

B. God accomplishes His plans by limiting human freedom

1. No one can thwart the plan of God (43:12-13)

2. Pagan kings are tools in the hand of God (45:1-6)

3. Creation cannot thwart the plan of God (46:8-11)

Objection #1: If God knows it all, why does He allow bad things to happen?

Romans 8:28-29 - And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose. For those whom He foreknew, He also predestined to become conformed to the image of His Son, so that He would be the firstborn among many brethren

Objection #2: If God can accurately predict the future than am I just a robot?

C. We can trust that God is working His glorious plan

Proverbs 3:5-6 - Trust in the LORD with all your heart and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him, and He will make your paths straight.

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